# Great Witley & Hillhampton Parish Council

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## To Members of Great Witley & Hillhampton Parish Council

You are duly summoned/required to attend the next meeting of Great Witley and Hillhampton Parish Council to be held at 8.15pm on Wednesday 15 July at Great Witley Village Hall.

## Public Question Time will precede the Council meeting from 8.00-8.15pm

The time allocated is at the discretion of the council/chairman. Residents are invited to give their views and question the parish council on issues on this agenda, or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the chairman. *Members of the public may not take part in the parish council meeting itself. This period is not part of the formal meeting; brief notes will be appended to the minutes as an aide memoire.* 

### A Public Forum will precede the Council meeting from 8.30-8.45pm

The time allocated is at the discretion of the council/chairman. Residents are invited to a discussion of the Hundred House hotel development. Applicant to give an overview of development and residents to give views and question the applicant, at discretion of council/ chairman. Members of the public may not take part in the parish council meeting itself. This period is not part of the formal meeting; brief notes will be appended to the minutes as an aide memoire.

### **Agenda**

1. **Apologies:** To receive apologies and to approve reasons for absence.

#### 2. Declarations of Interest:

- a) Register of Interests: Councillors are reminded of the need to update their register of interests.
- b) To declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests in items on the agenda and their nature.
- c) To declare any Other Disclosable Interests in items on the agenda and their nature.
- d) Written requests for the council to grant a dispensation (S33 of the Localism Act 2011) are to be with the clerk at least four clear days prior to a meeting.

Councillors who have declared a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest, or an Other Disclosable Interest which falls within the terms of paragraph 12(4) (b) of the code of conduct, must leave the room for the relevant items.

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Failure to register or declare a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest may be a criminal offence.

- 3. **Minutes:** To consider the approval of the minutes of previous meeting of the council on 20 May 2015. (attached)
- 4. **Parish Council vacancies:** Review current vacancies summary of process and timeline for (a) co-option for Great Witley ward vacancy; and (b) election for Hillhampton ward vacancy.

## 5. Progress Reports & Local Issues

- a. District Councillor Paul Cummings summary & report (as received)
- b. County Councillor Ken Pollock summary & report (as applicable)
- c. Quartergreen

#### 6. Communication

- a. To approve new website format and content. Agreement to continue with work to populate with relevant & necessary information.
- b. Having reviewed quotations, councilors to agree placing an order for notice boards for replacement (Hillhampton & The Glebe) or defer to next meeting pending gathering of additional supporting information.

#### 7. Planning:

- a. Neighbourhood plan to agree the formation of a working party comprising members and residents, to consult residents and inform development of a neighbourhood plan.
- b. Agreement on comments and/or next steps for planning applications received to date.

#### 8. Finance:

- a. To review the recommendations following the internal audit by Mrs. Diane Malley M.A.A.T.
- b. To review & approve accounts for, and ratification of recent payments.

### 9. Correspondence for Information.

10. Staff – To agree & consider submission & payment of additional hours worked by the Clerk at next meeting in September 2015. Additional hours to be those in excess of 5 hours weekly, as currently contracted.

### 11. Lenghtsman & footpaths

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Update (as applicable) including progress to date on delineation issues at Structons Heath.

- 12. Councillors' reports and items for future agenda: Councillors may use this opportunity to report minor matters of information not included elsewhere on the agenda and to raise items for future agendas.
- 13. Date of meetings 2015/16: To confirm the date of meetings.

Signed Laura Drew Clerk to Great Witley & Hillhampton Parish Council 8 July 2015